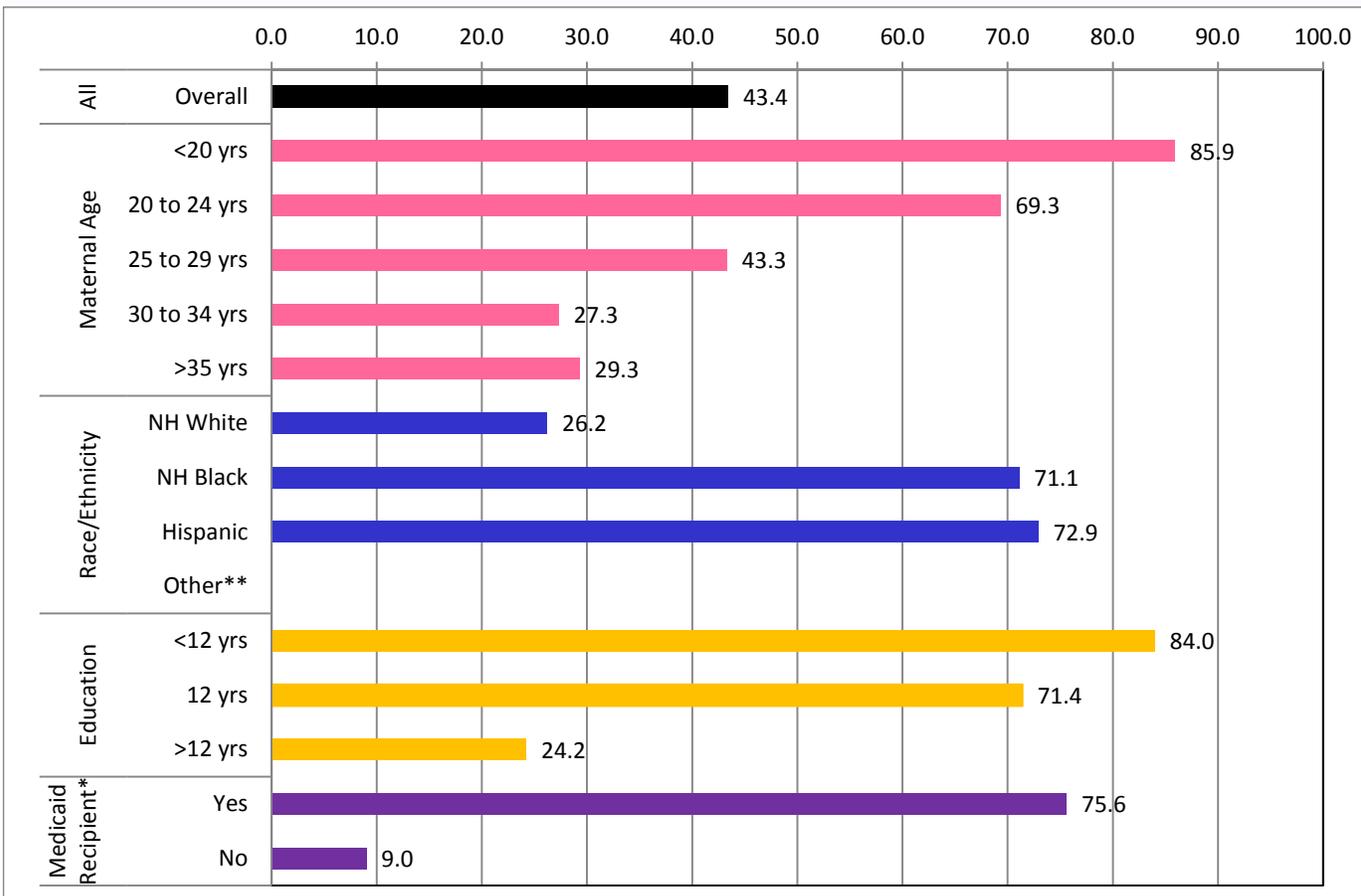


WIC Usage

Percentage (%) of new mothers in Illinois who reported using WIC services during pregnancy

**Survey Question 32:** During your most recent pregnancy, were you on WIC (the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children)?



	Percentage <sup>1</sup>	95% CI <sup>2</sup>	Respondents <sup>3</sup>	Estimated Population Affected <sup>4</sup>	
<b>All</b>	Overall	43.4	40.6 - 46.2	597	64,551
<b>Maternal Age</b>	<20 yrs	85.9	74.5 - 92.7	63	8,273
	20 to 24 yrs	69.3	62.7 - 75.2	181	19,078
	25 to 29 yrs	43.3	37.9 - 48.9	151	16,720
	30 to 34 yrs	27.3	23.0 - 32.0	120	12,502
	>35 yrs	29.3	23.8 - 35.6	82	7,979
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>	NH White	26.2	23.0 - 29.7	193	20,632
	NH Black	71.1	63.3 - 77.9	147	16,609
	Hispanic	72.9	67.6 - 77.6	232	24,864
	Other**				
<b>Education</b>	<12 yrs	84.0	77.0 - 89.2	146	15,291
	12 yrs	71.4	65.8 - 76.5	215	25,330
	>12 yrs	24.2	21.3 - 27.4	223	22,529
<b>Birth Weight</b>	LBW	48.5	43.2 - 53.9	156	5,067
	NBW	43.0	40.0 - 46.0	441	59,483
<b>Marital Status</b>	Married	22.7	19.9 - 25.7	201	20,393
	Other	75.2	70.9 - 79.0	396	44,158
<b>Medicaid Recipient*</b>	Yes	75.6	72.1 - 78.9	535	58,086
	No	9.0	6.9 - 11.7	62	6,465

<sup>1</sup>Percentage = Weighted percentage of Illinois mothers giving birth to live infants in 2014 who responded Yes to the survey question for the specified indicator

<sup>2</sup>CI = confidence interval

\* Delivery paid by Medicaid

<sup>3</sup>Respondents (N) = Total number of mothers who responded Yes to the survey question for the specified indicator

<sup>4</sup>Estimated population affected = Estimated number of Illinois mothers giving birth in 2014 who would respond Yes to the survey question for the specified indicator